

## LOCAL NEWS.

TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 23.

For this section fair till Thursday, winds shifting to northwesterly and colder on Wednesday and Thursday.

**PRESENTATION**—At St. John's Army last night, Capt. Wm. F. Carney, Jr., acting commandant of cadets and teacher of English, was presented by the cadets of the Junior Division, with a handsome case containing a fine toilet set for use in camp. Cadet Ezra Gould, of Washington, was the spokesman of the class. This morning Cadet Simon Baum, of Pennsylvania, presented the Principal, on the part of the Senior Division, with a handsome case containing a fine toilet set for use in camp. Cadet Wm. F. Carney, Jr., of Washington, was the spokesman of the class. This morning Cadet Simon Baum, of Pennsylvania, presented the Principal, on the part of the Senior Division, with a handsome case containing a fine toilet set for use in camp. Cadet Wm. F. Carney, Jr., of Washington, was the spokesman of the class.

**PERSONAL**—Lieutenant Saml. L. Morton and his wife have returned from their wedding trip. Mr. J. Fred Birrell and Miss Lillian R. Morton will be married at the M. P. Church on Wednesday at 3 o'clock.

**Indian Funeral Rites.**—HELENA, Mont., Dec. 23.—The bodies of the four Indians hanged last Friday at Missions have been buried. In the night the relatives of the dead gathered and began a weird ceremony, when the Indian police dispersed the crowd. The wives of La Laza and Pascual had cut garlands in their own hands and were preparing to cut off the fingers of one hand when stopped. The children of the dead Indians also gashed their hands and heads and blood was dripping into the graves, which had been partly opened.

**A Long Abstinence.**—MARTIN FERRY, Ill., Dec. 23.—Mrs. Timmy Callahan, 70 years old, has lived on milk and tea alone for 122 days. This abstinence was not on account of poverty but stomach trouble. Mrs. Callahan is active and is able to housework every day.

**CHRISTMAS MUSIC**—Christmas, the great festival season of the church celebrating the birth of its founder, is at hand, and preparations for the due and proper celebration of the feast in the churches of this city have been made. Elaborate programmes have been prepared and some excellent music will be rendered. Not only in the Catholic and Episcopal churches but in those of the other denominations have been chosen musical services been arranged, and all creeds and people will unite in singing their heartiest praise on the birthday of the Saviour of mankind.

**DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT.**—The Dramatic Association will give its first entertainment to-night at their hall over Paul's, when "Tudors" will be presented. All the members are expected, and each can bring a guest (a non-entertainer). Any member wishing to bring a friend who is a resident of this city can do so by paying 50 cents entrance fee for the person thus brought. Children are not expected unless their parents pay the regular entrance fee. The performance begins at 8 o'clock.

**A COMPLIMENT.**—An esteemed subscriber, who is a leading member of the bar of the Valley and an ex-Mayor of Winchester, writes from that city as follows: "Honor to whom honor is due. So permit me to say that the account of the late storm in the GAZETTE is a model specimen of reporting and good English, in my judgment."

**THE SQUAN ALTON.**—Capt. L. Ledman, of Ocean Queen, the owner of the steamer Alton which was burned on Saturday night, says his steamer was worth \$5,000. She had been fitted up less than a year ago with new machinery, etc. Capt. L. by his energy, had made the Alton a success, and the loss will be felt by the people of Ocean Queen, which community she had greatly benefited.

**POLICE REPORT.**—Last night was clear and cool with three prisoners and sixteen lodgers at the station house. The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases: Two white men charged with disorderly conduct were discharged with reprimands. A colored man charged with an assault on his wife was fined \$1.00.

**HANDSOME DONATION.**—Mr. Lewis McKee, in purchasing the flag of Seaton building, bought one for Washington building also, to replace a worn-out one there, for which the teachers and pupils of Washington School desire to return their thanks.

**FIRE IN LONDON.**—Mr. Geo. W. Warner's house, near the Hamilton depot, was consumed by fire yesterday evening. The fire originated from the floor. The loss is estimated at \$1,000. There was no insurance.

**PROPERTY SALE.**—O'Neal and Lunt have sold to A. B. Penn a house and lot on Payne street, between Prince and Duke, for \$1,300.

**COMMUNICATED.**—What is the matter with the electric light? It was understood some time ago that it was necessary to clean up the machinery once a month and that it was to be done on a moonlight night. Last month, however, the night chosen was, I think, ahead of the full moon, and this month it has already taken two nights and is a week ahead of it. It must be remembered that a great many people in Alexandria have to be out before day to get to their work in time and that the stars do not give sufficient light to guide them.

**AN EARLY RISER.**—Notes from Catlett's. The barn of J. L. Gorrell and its entire contents were destroyed by fire this afternoon. About 100 tons of choice hay and a large quantity of valuable farming implements were the victims of the fire. The fire was caused by sparks from an engine used in haling hay.

The death of James M. Catlett on last Wednesday, the 17th instant, after the past forty years' residence at this place, is very much regretted by all the citizens of this section, who were favored by his knowledge. S. C. M. Catlett, by November 22.

The dispiriting effects of catarrh are distressing. But now glad are the people who have been cured by O. S. Catlett's Catarrh Cure. A pretty picture is a healthy looking and well cared for baby. By the use of Dr. Bul's Baby Syrup you can keep the health of your baby in splendid condition. Price 25 cents a bottle.

There is much in good blood; but if born of bad blood, "A. B. C. Alternative" is the only remedy.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Dr. Bedford Brown will address Lee Camp on July 5th. His subject will be "The Heroic Conduct of the Women of the Confederacy."

A number of fine shoals shipped to Mr. W. A. Smith, of this city, from his farm in King George county, were suffocated on the steamer Mattano yesterday.

Special mail service has been discontinued from Chambers village to Pender, and star service has been established from Pender to Fairfax Court House three times a week.

A fox hunt which was engaged in by a number of gentlemen from Fairfax C. H. and several members of the Woodly club from Washington took place in Fairfax county to-day.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Joseph M. Smith and Mary J. Reed, of Westmoreland county, and James F. Myers and Annie E. Barbour, of Amherst county.

A horse attached to a wagon belonging to Mr. Nero, of Fairfax county, became frightened at the explosion of fire crackers on King street between 1 and 2 o'clock this afternoon. The frightened animal started off at a rapid gait and turned into St. Asaph street, running on the pavement, striking against posts and trees, until the wagon was finally upset on the sidewalk opposite the postoffice, and its contents, consisting in part of Christmas purchases, scattered in every direction. The wagon was considerably damaged and the horse injured.

A number of ladies of this city are making arrangements for giving the poor children of the city a Christmas dinner.

Mayor Doham to day presented each member of the police force with a fine Christmas turkey. All the corporation officers and employees will be paid their December salaries to-morrow.

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K. O. G. E.—A called meeting of the proposed Commandery of Knights of the Golden Eagle was held in Sarcoph Hall last night, and was largely attended. A commandery was instituted with thirty signatures to the charter, and the following officers were elected: Captain, A. D. Dutton; First Lieutenant, A. H. O'Brien; Second Lieutenant, Chas. N. Steele.

The cruiser Newark made a successful trial trip yesterday and averaged in speed thirteen and six-tenths knots per hour.

The largest stock of Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry ever seen in this city is now on exhibition and sale at the establishment of H. C. Adams & Son, 609 King street.

Made but for One Purpose "Bromidine" will cure nothing else but the headache. It will cure the headache when everything else has failed. No matter what your headache comes from, "Bromidine" will cure it. It is a powder, sweet, effective and quick. All drug stores have it at 25c a box.

LEBANON, KY., April 12, 1890. Radam's Microbe Killer Company, Nashville, Tenn.: Gentlemen—I have been trying the Microbe Killer for indigestion for one week only, and I feel very much benefited. Very respectfully, MRS. R. W. CLARK. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

Oh, What a Cough Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can submit for the sake of saving 50c, to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves cough and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For larva hawk, ask of close to Shiloh's Pure Pasteur. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

Is Consumption Curable? Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to resume the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made. Jesse M. Dewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Trouble. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Trial bottles free at E. S. Leadbeater & Bro's drug store.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., March 21, 1890. Radam's Microbe Killer Co., Nashville, Tenn.: Gentlemen—I have been handling the Microbe Killer for five months, and can say that during my twelve years' experience in the drug business I have never sold a preparation that gives such universal satisfaction. I do not know a single case that has not been greatly benefited when taken according to the directions. Very truly yours, R. J. MILLER. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker mouth, and Headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50c. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

For an unpopular President, the remedy is the ballot; but for impure blood A. B. C. Alternative. Sleeplessness, nervous prostration, nervous dyspepsia, dullness, blues, opium has been cured by Dr. Mil's Nervine. Samples free at druggists, by mail 10c. MILES MED. CO., Elkhart, Ind.

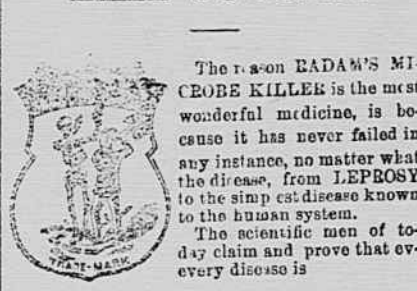
FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

For all the ladies interested in the dinner to be given the "mothers and children" on New Year's Day are requested to meet at the Board of Trade rooms, over Mr. Paul's store, Saturday, December 27th, at 3 p. m.

PAINT YOUR BUGGY FOR ONE DOLLAR. Another supply of CROWN CARRIAGE GLOSS PAINT, ready for use; only one coat necessary. For sale by W. F. CREIGHTON & CO. A FULL LINE OF GENTLEMEN'S DOWNSKIN DRESS GLOVES, lined and unlined, at dec18. AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

## MEDICINAL

## NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUCCESS.



## CAUSED BY MICROBES.

## Radam's Microbe Killer

Exterminates the Microbes and drives them out of the system, and when that is done you cannot have an ache or pain. No matter what the disease, whether a simple case of Malarial Fever or a combination of diseases, we cure them all at the same time, as we treat all diseases.

**Asthma, Consumption, Catarrh, Bronchitis, Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver Disease, Chills and Fever, Female Troubles in all its forms, and, in fact, every Disease known to the Human System.**

## BEWARE OF FRAUDULENT IMITATIONS!

See that our Trade-Mark (same as above) appears on each jug. Send for book "History of the Microbe Killer," given away by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., Agents, Alexandria, Virginia.

## FOUND.

FOUND—At the local depot at 10:05 last night a GENTLEMAN'S FOB CHAIN. By a description of same and paying for this advertisement it will be restored to the owner. D. GAZETTE office. dec23 3t

FOUND—In one of the heretics this morning a P. O. KEYSTONE containing a sum of money. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges. dec22 3t PATTEESON BROS.

## DRY GOODS.

## WOODWARD &amp; LOTHROP

TUESDAY, DEC. 23, 1890.

## What Shall the Present Be?

That's the top thought in almost everybody's mind. One day left in which to settle the question. The store is full of Present Hints.

Time and space however will only admit of a few suggestions.

## LARGE TOYS.

We are devoting nearly the entire fifth floor of our Tenth street building to the display of Large Toys. Extremely low prices will prevail.

## DOLL CARRIAGES.

—\$2 up to \$5.25.  
20 Carriages.  
—Regular price, \$2.25.  
—Marked down to \$1.95.  
10 Carriages.  
—Regular price, \$5.00.  
—Marked down to \$4.00.

## CHAIRS.

20 dozen Doll's High Chairs.  
—Price 50c each.

## TRICYCLES.

We have absolutely the best there is made. They will not be found quite as low in price as some other makes, but the difference in actual value is very marked.

## DRUMS.

—35c to \$1.50 each.

## TOOL CHESTS.

—50c to \$5.40 each.

## TOY TRUNKS.

—75c to \$3.65.  
(Fifth floor, 10th st. extension).

## HOLIDAY GOODS

Balance of E. P. Roe's Books, bound in cloth and gilt.  
Marked down to 50c.  
(Third floor, 10th st. extension.)

TOYS.  
500 Animals on platform. Ten kinds. Regular price, 25c. Marked down to 15c.  
300 Dolls, kid bodies and full jointed. Regular price, \$1 and \$1.25. Marked down to 75c.  
200 boxes of Sliced Animals, Bir's, &c. Marked down to 15c.

LAMPS.  
30 Bisque Finished Table Lamps. Regular price, \$2.90 and \$3.25. Marked down to \$2.50.  
(Fourth floor, 10th st. extension.)

MEN'S BELONGINGS.  
We have made all our \$1.25 Scarfs, \$1.00 \$1 Scarfs 75c, and all the 75c ones 50c. (First floor, first annex.)

GOODS DELIVERED IN ALEXANDRIA.

WOODWARD & LOTHROP,  
CORNER 11th AND F STREETS N. W.,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

NOTICE.  
When you want an easy shave, Good as a barber ever gave, Call on Prof. C. M. GRIFFIN, under the Bradock House, north Fairfax street. dec 22 3t

SATSUMA and other JAPANESE WARES, FANCY WAX CANDLES, all grades, at dec10 E. J. MILLER & SON'S.

COME AND SEE OUR 5% CENT GINGHAM, formerly 6 1/2 cents. dec18 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

A PINT OF LUNT'S OPERA COLOGNE. Only costs \$1, and makes a nice Xmas present. dec22 J. D. H. LUNT'S.

JAPANESE HANDKERCHIEF performed with Opera Cologne given to each customer at [dec22] J. D. H. LUNT'S.

FANCY CAPE COD CRANBERRIES received this day, December 22, 1890, by J. C. MILBURN.

CHOICE LINE OF CRAVATS, latest styles, at dec18 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

## BANK STATEMENTS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## First National Bank,

AT ALEXANDRIA, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA.

At the close of business, December 19, 1890.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts,	\$42,408 81
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	300 00
U. S. bonds to secure circulation,	50,000 00
Stocks, securities, claims, etc.,	79,674 00
Due from approved reserve agents,	56,067 61
Due from other National banks,	11,068 18
State banks and bankers,	2,663 79
Banking houses, furniture and fixtures,	10,000 00
Current expenses and taxes paid,	6,555 99
Premiums on U. S. bonds,	8,000 00
Checks and other cash items,	8,180 05
Bills of other banks,	500 00
Fractional paper, currency, nickels and cents,	12 93
Specie,	28,373 00
Legal tender notes,	12,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer,	2,250 00
5 per cent of circulation,	
	\$698,049 34

## LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	\$100,000 00
Surplus fund,	20,000 00
Undivided profits,	40,533 62
National bank notes outstanding,	45,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check,	426,318 50
Demand certificates of deposit,	2,335 28
Due to other National banks,	51,286 76
Due to State banks and bankers,	12,575 08
	\$698,049 34

State of Virginia, city of Alexandria: I, Charles R. Hooff, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of December, 1890.

W. F. LAMBERT, Notary Public.

Correct—attest: S. F. BEACH, JAMES F. MUIR, JOS. BRODERS, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Citizens' National Bank,

OF ALEXANDRIA, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA.

At the close of business, December 19, 1890.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts,	\$318,765 55
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	632 50
U. S. bonds to secure circulation,	25,000 00
Stocks, securities, claims, etc.,	77,476 62
Due from approved reserve agents,	36,256 95
Due from other National banks,	10,440 25
Due from State banks and bankers,	9,540 26
Real estate, furniture and fixtures,	9,700 00
Current expenses and taxes paid,	3,701 72
Checks and other cash items,	1,090 90
Bills of other banks,	210 00
Fractional paper, currency, nickels and cents,	129 40
Specie,	2,554 00
Legal tender notes,	32,765 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation),	1,125 00
Total,	\$429,988 50

## LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	\$100,000 00
Surplus fund,	20,000 00
Undivided profits,	16,040 59
National bank notes outstanding,	22,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check,	232,191 87
Demand certificates of deposit,	7,377 83
Due to other National banks,	25,235 63
Due to State banks and bankers,	6,631 58
Total,	\$429,988 50

State of Virginia, city of Alexandria, ss. I, Wm. H. Lambert, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of December, 1890.

J. JOHNSTON GREEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: FRANCIS L. SMITH, BENONI WHEAT, E. L. DAINIERFIELD, Directors.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Alexandria, Va., December 16, 1890.  
The annual election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on TUESDAY, January 13th, 1891, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock.  
CHAS. R. HOOFF, Cashier.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.  
The annual meeting of MECHANICS' BUILDING ASSOCIATIONS Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Alexandria, Va., will be held at Concordia Hall on THURSDAY, January 1, 1891, at 8 o'clock p. m.  
LEONARD MARSHBY, Secretary.

Alexandria, Va., December 19, 1890.  
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ALEXANDRIA REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT, TRUST AND TITLE COMPANY will be held at its principal office, 102 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., at ten o'clock a. m. on MONDAY, January 5, 1891.  
dec19 1t M. R. HARTLOW, Secretary.

A MEETING OF THE MOUNT VERNON CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION No 2 will be held on THURSDAY, January 1, 1891, at 7:15 p. m., at Concordia Hall.  
dec 17td L. E. UHLER, Secretary.

A MEETING OF THE OLD DOMINION CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION will be held on THURSDAY, January 1, 1891, at 7:30 p. m., at Concordia Hall.  
dec17 td L. E. UHLER, Secretary.

NOTICE—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the GERMAN CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATIONS Nos. 4 and 5 will be held THURSDAY EVENING, January 1st, 1891, at 7:00 o'clock sharp, at Concordia Hall.  
dec17 td JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secretary.

CHRISTMAS GOODS.  
50 dozen cans Houston Tomatoes.  
25 " Sugar Corn.  
30 gallons home-made Chow Chow, in quart and pint jars.  
30 gallons home-made Chop Pickle.  
10 boxes California Beans.  
10 " Valencia do.  
10 " Florida Oranges (fancy).  
10 bb's Apples (fancy).  
1 bbl. Mo's Champagne Cider.  
3 bbl's Malaga Grapes.  
5 dozen Dessert Peaches, 25c.  
6 " " 15c.  
50 dozen Andrews Toilet Soap, 45c per dozen.  
Cranberries, and a full line of new goods suitable for the holidays.  
2 bbls fine large Potomac Shad.  
Fresh Meats and Vegetables of all kinds.  
B. H. JENKINS,  
Corner Fairfax and Duke sts.

2000 CABBAGE,  
In lots to suit.  
B. H. JENKINS,  
Duke and Fairfax streets.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS—Writing Tablets, Ladies' Toilet Cases, Gentlemen's Traveling Cases, Shaving Sets, Fancy Ink Stands and many other articles, cheap and very pretty at ERNEST L. ALLEN'S, Corner King and Pitt sts.

TOOTH, NAIL and HAIR BRUSHES, with a full line of FINE TOILET SOAP, just received.  
E. L. ALLEN,  
Corner King and Pitt streets.

FRENCH SACHET POWDERS—Heliotrope, Violet and White Rose—lasting and fragrant.  
ERNEST L. ALLEN,  
Corner King and Pitt streets.

LADIES' and CHILDREN'S WORSTED HOODS, Scarfs, Gloves, &c., Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, &c at dec18 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE—Odor Stands, Bique Figures and Cologne Bottles. Call and examine ERNEST L. ALLEN, Corner King and Pitt sts.

## DRY GOODS.

## HOLIDAY ATTRACTIONS.

1890.

For many seasons past we have had an unusual trade in useful and beautiful articles belonging to our business, and this season we have made extensive preparations in these, and believe that this advertisement will contain many useful hints to purchasers. The variety is so large that the mention of each article is necessarily brief.

## Housefurnishings.

Choice Damasks, Good Napkins, Fine Napkins, Towels in all grades, Napkins and Damasks to match.

## Carpet Department.

Carpets, Fur, Smyrna and Moquette Rugs, especially beautiful White, Gray and Black Goat Skins. In these we have goods entirely new. Carriage Robes in Goat and Wolf Skins.

## Silk and Gloria

## Umbrellas.

In these we have some specially choice goods in natural woods, wood and silver, horn and silver handles. Also cheap goods at \$1.25 and \$1.50. FINE SUSPENDERS in white and black and silk embroidered.

## Gentlemen's Ties.

The best assortment ever offered. Puffs, Tecks and Four-in-hands. Prices: 5, 50 and 75c. FINE DRESS SHIRTS, Linen and Pique fronts, SILK and LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS in choice and endless variety. Specially choice Linen Goods in fine embroidery. LADIES' SHOPPING BAGS, POCKET BOOKS, TRUNKS, SATCHELS and VALISES. Special in RIBBONS for fancy work. One lot fine wide Ribbons at 18c, worth 30c. Fine lines of all the staple articles for general domestic presents—GINGHAMS, PRINTS, CHECK MUSLINS for aprons, &amp